Ed Grady comments

BLOCK MANAGEMENT PAID TO LANDOWNER'S UNDER CONSERVATION EASEMENTS

- 1) Conservation Easements state that land owners under easements can participate in other F.W.P. programs.
- 2) Access to Federal and State Lands. Easements do not address this issue.
- 3) Longer seasons now then when we agreed in an Easements. (Spring Bear, wolf hunting and longer Big Game Seasons.)
- 4) Land owners close to larger cities like Helena have to deal with large numbers of resident's hunter's, way more than non-residents hunters.
- 5) No value amount put on Hunter Access in Easements.
- Block Management program another good incentive for placing Conservation Easements on private property.

SAME SUGGESTIONS FOR MORE REVENUE

- 1) Flat fee payments by acres for Block management.
- 2) Remove refunds for unsuccessful fall elk drawings.
- 3) Raise residents hunting license.



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